

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Plaintiff,

vs.

MICHAEL BRANDON RICHARDSON,  
Defendant.

CASE NO: **4:18CR03028**

**DETENTION ORDER**

On the government's motion, the court afforded the defendant an opportunity for a detention hearing under the Bail Reform Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f). The court concludes the defendant must be detained pending trial.

Based on the information of record, the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the defendant's release would pose a risk of nonappearance at court proceedings, and by clear and convincing evidence that the defendant's release would pose a risk of harm to the public.

Specifically, the court finds that the defendant has a criminal history of violating the law and court orders; has a history of providing false reports to law enforcement; violated conditions of release previously imposed by a court; has a history of harming or threatening harm to others; abuses mood-altering chemicals and is likely to continue such conduct and violate the law if released; is the subject of an active warrant out of Georgia, for which Georgia will exercise full extradition rights; hid from law enforcement to avoid arrest; has limited employment contacts; has failed to appear for court proceedings in the past; presented no evidence opposing detention; and conditions which restrict Defendant's travel, personal contacts, and possession of drugs, alcohol, and/or firearms; require reporting, education, employment, or treatment; or monitor Defendant's movements or conduct; or any combination of these conditions or

others currently proposed or available (see 18 U.S.C. § 3142(c)), will not sufficiently ameliorate the risks posed if the defendant is released.

#### Directions Regarding Detention

The defendant is committed to the custody of the Attorney General or a designated representative for confinement in a corrections facility separate, to the extent practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or held in custody pending appeal. The defendant must be afforded a reasonable opportunity to consult privately with defense counsel. On order of the United States Court or on request of an attorney for the Government, the person in charge of the corrections facility must deliver the defendant to the United States marshal for a court appearance.

Dated August 17, 2018.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Cheryl R. Zwart  
United States Magistrate Judge